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In re Applicant:

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HARDWARE AND
SOFTWARE ARBITRATION

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed January 17, 2006, which response is being made on or before July 17, 2006 and for which an extension fee of \$510 is due. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: